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HOUSE FIRE IN JONES COUNTY KILLS ELDERLY WOMAN

Atlanta - Fire Investigators with Insurance and Safety Fire Commissioner Ralph Hudgens' office have ruled an early morning fatal house fire in Jones County accidental.

Killed in the fire was Sarah Clements, 80. The home located at 140 E. Highway 22, Gray, Ga., was destroyed. The fire call came in at 9:28 a.m.

The investigation revealed that the fire originated in the kitchen area of the home and was the result of unattended cooking. No evidence of a working smoke alarm was found in the home.

This fatality brings Georgia's fire death total to 76 for 2013.